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SRI T. VISWANATHAM :—" వెంకటేశ్వర్లుగారు చెప్పిన విషయాలు సబ్ కమిటీవారు విమర్శించి వారి ఆలోచనకు తీసుకొనివచ్చారా ? "

SRI T. NAGI REDDI :—" ఇది సబ్ కమిటీవారికి సంబంధించిన విషయము కాబట్టి మంత్రిగారిని సమాధానమడుగుతున్నాను "

THE HON. SRI N. SANKARA REDDI :—" It is a matter for the Cabinet."

SRI V. R. NAGARAJAN :—" Are the changes contemplated in the Panchayats Act major or minor in nature? "

THE HON. SRI N. SANKARA REDDI :—" The changes may be major as well as minor."

Second trips by motor buses.

* 6 Q.—SRI CHANDRA RAMALINGAIAH : Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries and Labour be pleased to state—

(*a*) how many buses are permitted to run a second trip in the different districts in the State of Madras; and

(*b*) whether there is a proposal to withdraw permission for the second trips and give permission for more buses to ply instead?

THE HON. DR. U. KRISHNA RAO :—" (*a*) The Government have fixed the minimum and maximum mileage a bus can be permitted to do per day at 100 and 160 and the transport authorities allow as many trips as are necessary within these limits. It may be that buses do a second and even a third trip. Beyond this it may be difficult to collect statistics for the question asked.

" (*b*) The answer is in the negative."

SRI CHANDRA RAMALINGAIAH :—" ప్రశ్న వేస్తున్నాను. ఈ పద్ధతి 11-20 a.m.
అమలులో ఉండడ వల్ల బస్సు కార్మికులచేత రోజుకు 14 గంటలు పని చేయించుకొనుచున్నట్టి సంగతి నిజమేనా ? "

THE HON. DR. U. KRISHNA RAO :—" Notice, Sir."

SRI S. DEIVASIGAMANY :—" Is it a fact, Sir, that the Government intend to stop the plying of Government buses from Madras City to the mufassal stations? "

THE HON. DR. U. KRISHNA RAO :—" The Government have not yet decided that question, Sir."

Headquarters Hospital, Badagara.

* 7 Q.—SRI C. KUNHIRAMA KURUP : Will the Hon. the Minister for Health be pleased to state whether there is a proposal to acquire any new site for the extension of Badagara Headquarters Hospital in Kurumbranad taluk, North Malabar?

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" The answer is in the affirmative."